

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Sachi A. Hamai, Executive Officer-Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration Los Angeles, California 90012

At its meeting held April 15, 2008, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

"The Mosquito and Vector Control Association of California has designated the week of April 21 through April 25, 2008, as 'West Nile Virus and Mosquito and Vector Control Awareness Week' in the State of California.

"West Nile virus is a mosquito-borne disease that can cause debilitating illness and death to humans, avian species, horses and other wildlife. Last year, West Nile virus killed 16 people in California and sickened 379 others. The State Department of Public Health and the Centers for Disease Control predict West Nile virus will again pose a public health threat in California in 2008."

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Molina, unanimously carried (Supervisor Knabe being absent), the Board proclaimed April 21 through 25, 2008 as "West Nile Virus and Mosquito and Vector Control Awareness Week" throughout Los Angeles County.

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